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House Resolution No. 4129

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has distinguished himself through excellence in sports; and

Whereas, Jeff Karl, an esteemed resident of Ballwin, Missouri, will be inducted to the St. Louis Soccer Hall of Fame in September of 2005; and

Whereas, Jeff Karl is the winningest coach in women's soccer in the National Junior College Athletic Association (NJCAA), with ten Top Five finishes in the NJCAA National Tournament, two NJCAA National Championships, fourteen NJCAA Region XVI Titles, and National Coach of the Year recognition in 1991 and 1992; and

Whereas, Jeff Karl has had the distinct pleasure of coaching thirty-four NJCAA All-Americans, including four Academic All-Americans; and

Whereas, Jeff Karl has played an integral role in the educational development of several Missouri students as a teacher at Assumption School and Women's Soccer Coach at St. Louis Community College at Meramec; and

Whereas, Jeff Karl has been abundantly blessed with the love and support of his wonderful wife, Margaret:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty and robust congratulations to Jeff Karl at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing him only the very best of success in all his future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for 2005 St. Louis Soccer Hall of Fame inductee, Jeff Karl.

Offered by
Representative Thomas A. Villa
District No. 108
I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4129, adopted August 3, 2005.
Rod Jetton, Speaker